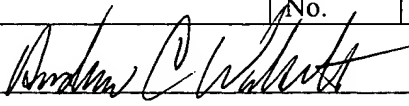
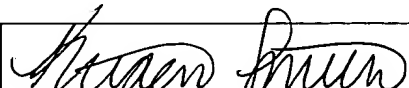


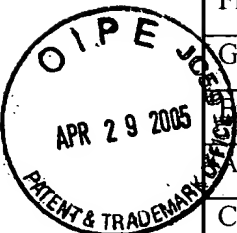
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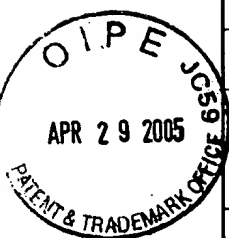
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In a telephonic conversation with the Examiner on April 13, 2005, with the below-signed attorney, Andrew C. Walseth, the Examiner and Applicant discussed pending claims 1, 2 and 27-38 of the Present Application. The Examiner and Applicant specifically discussed the Applicant's Proposed Amendment to claims 1, 2 and 27-38 and Remarks. The Examiner and the Applicant agreed to the proposed changes and that the changes detailed in the Applicant's Proposed Amendment should be entered by Examiner's Amendment.

The Examiner and Applicant agreed to an Examiner's Amendment that amends claim 2 into independent form to include the limitations of independent claim 1 and amends dependent claims 27-28, 30 and 33 to depend from claim 2. Claim 34 was also amended to avoid the prohibition against duplicate claims under 37 CFR 1.75. Claim 1 was cancelled without prejudice by the Applicant to allow the Present Application to issue. The Applicant reserves the right to reintroduce claim 1 in future Continuation Applications. The Examiner indicated that claims 2 and 27-38 were in condition for allowance and that he would review the Present Application and issue an Office Action or a Notice of Allowance based on this Examiner's Amendment. The Examiner also indicated that the drawings would be submitted to the Patent Office Draftsperson for determination of acceptability under 37 C.F.R. §1.84, and, in particular, 37 C.F.R. §1.84(u)(1).

Applicant believes the foregoing Summary accurately reflects the substance and scope of the telephonic interview of April 13, 2005. Applicant requests notification if the Examiner disagrees with the accuracy or completeness of the Summary.

The Applicant also notes that the stated reasons for allowance given in the Examiner's Notice of Allowance mailed on April 22, 2005, contain a typographical error in stating in Element 3 of the Examiner's Amendment, "[i]n response to the appeal brief, the examiner re-examined the question of whether the cited Flash EPROM of Bacon et al., U.S. 5,440,632, was synchronous or asynchronous. The examiner determined that the Flash EPROM was more likely to have been synchronous than asynchronous . . ." The Applicant maintains that this statement is a typographical error and that the Examiner intended to state that the Flash EPROM of Bacon et al. was more likely to have been asynchronous than synchronous, as is apparent from the text of the Notice of Allowance and Examiner's Amendment. Applicant requests notification if the Examiner disagrees with the accuracy or completeness of this assertion.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representatives at direct dial (612) 312-2207 if there are any changes or questions regarding this Examiner Interview Summary or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully submitted,

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